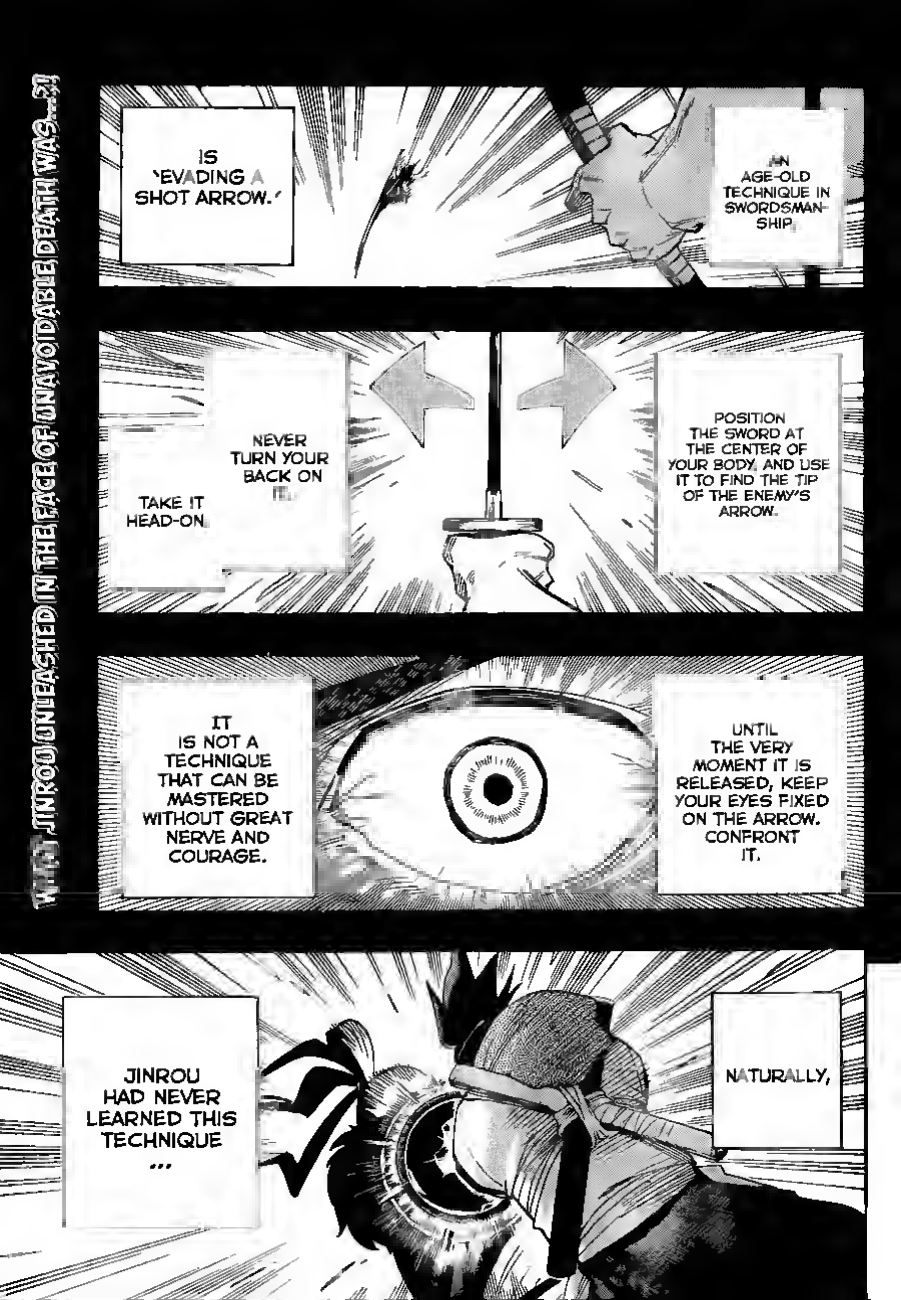
IS 'EVADING A SHOT ARROW.'
AN AGE-OLD TECHNIQUE IN SWORDSMANSHIP.
TAKE IT HEAD-ON.
NEVER TURN YOUR BACK ON IT.
POSITION THE SWORD AT THE CENTER OF YOUR BODY, AND USE IT TO FIND THE TIP OF THE ENEMY'S ARROW.
IT IS NOT A TECHNIQUE THAT CAN BE MASTERED WITHOUT GREAT NERVE AND COURAGE.
UNTIL THE VERY MOMENT IT IS RELEASED, KEEP YOUR EYES FIXED ON THE ARROW. CONFRONT IT.
JINROU HAD NEVER LEARNED THIS TECHNIQUE ...
NATURALLY,

IT WAS SPONTANEOUSLY BROUGHT FORTH.
BUT CAUGHT IN THE THIN LINE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH,
AN AWAKENING ...!!
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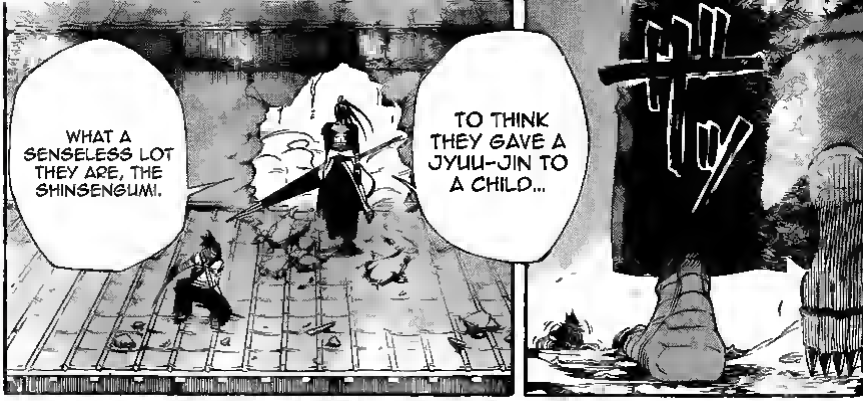
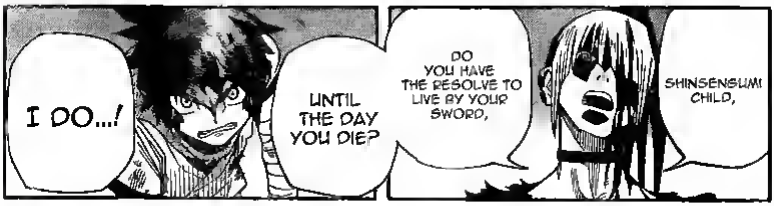
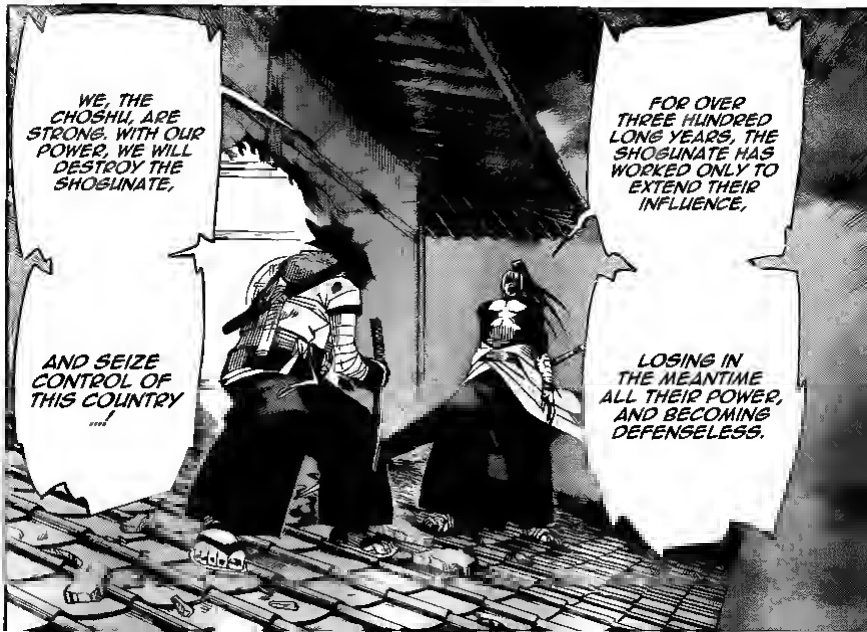
EAT THIS !!

RAHHH !!!
KUK!!
BOOM
G...
GUGH ...


WHAT A SENSELESS LOT THEY ARE, THE SHINSENGUMI.
TO THINK THEY GAVE A JYUU-JIN TO A CHILD...

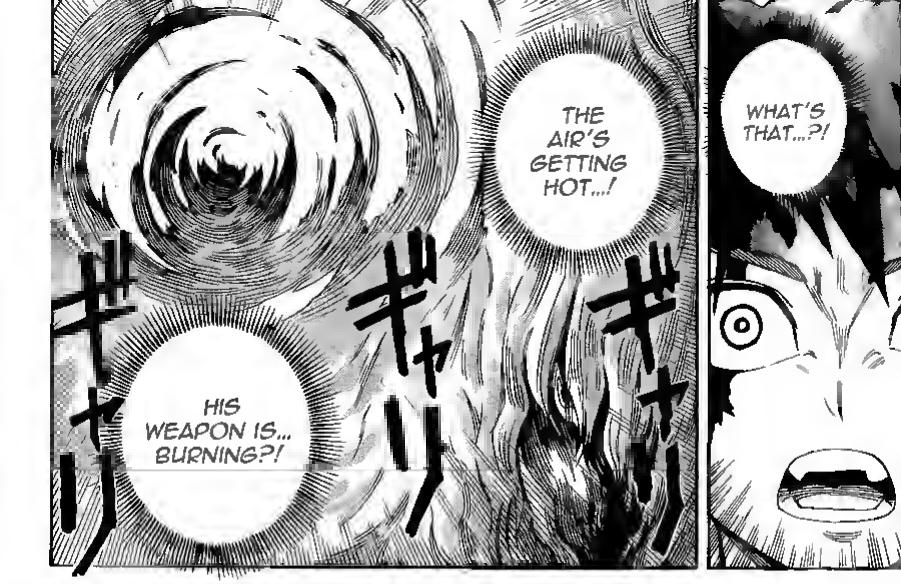

I DO...!
UNTIL THE DAY YOU DIE?
DO YOU HAVE THE RESOLVE TO LIVE BY YOUR SWORD,
SHINSENGUMI CHILD,


WE, THE CHOSHU, ARE STRONG. WITH OUR POWER, WE WILL DESTROY THE SHOGUNATE,
AND SEIZE CONTROL OF THIS COUNTRY ...!
FOR OVER THREE HUNDRED LONG YEARS, THE SHOGUNATE HAS WORKED ONLY TO EXTEND THEIR INFLUENCE,
LOSING IN THE MEANTIME ALL THEIR POWER, AND BECOMING DEFENSELESS.

THE VERY FACT THAT THE WEAK STAND AT THE TOP OF THIS NATION IS ABSURD.
IF THOSE WHO ARE STRONGER TAKE BACK THE COUNTRY, THE COUNTRY TOO WILL BECOME STRONG.
THAT IS WHY THIS COUNTRY HAS BECOME SO WEAK.
IT WILL BECOME A COUNTRY FOR ONLY THE STRONG ...!
WHILE THE WEAK DIE.
WE LIVE FOR THIS NOBLE CAUSE, AND ARE FULLY PREPARED TO DIE FOR IT.
WHAT DO YOU THINK OF OUR PERFECT IDEAL?
THAT IS WHY WE ARE STRONG...!
IS IT WRONG IN ANY WAY?!
IT'S...
NOT WRONG.
WHETHER YOU LIVE
OR DIE,
IT COMES DOWN TO HOW STRONG YOU ARE

THAT'S NOT WRONG...
PUTTING YOUR LIFE ON THE LINE FOR YOUR DREAM,
FIGHTING FOR IT, AND DYING...THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH THAT...!
BUT WHAT YOU PUT ON THE LINE SHOULD BE YOUR OWN LIFE
USING THE LIVES OF OTHERS AS A MEANS TO GET WHAT YOU WANT...
IS WRONG...!
SOMEONE LIKE THAT IS NO SAMURAI...!
THINGS LIKE WHOSE COUNTRY IT IS, AND WHAT ERA WE LIVE IN...
I DON'T REALLY GET THAT KIND OF STUFF
BUT...
SCUM LIKE THAT...
SHOULDN'T THINK SO HIGHLY OF THEMSELVES !!!

HEH
'SAMURAI',
YOU SAY
ベキ
ベキ
ベキ
LET US
SEE WHAT
A CHILD'S
RAMBLING
NONSENSE
CAN DO
IN THE FACE
OF MY NOBLE
CAUSE...!
HP
(RUN)


WHAT'S THAT...?!
THE AIR'S GETTING HOT...!
HIS WEAPON IS... BURNING?!
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THE FRICTION OF THE LANCE THAT YOSHIDA WAS ROTATING AT AN INCREDIBLE SPEED IN HIS HAND,
ACTED LIKE A FLINT AGAINST THE TOUGH SCALES THAT COVERED HIS HAND, RESULTING IN IGNITION.
THE HEAT SPREAD ALONG THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF THE STEEL LANCE,
AND EVEN EXTENDED TO THE SURROUNDING AIR. ENGULFED IN GREAT FLAMES, IT BECAME A BURNING LANCE.

!
IS JINROU-KUN...!
OKITA-SAN!
YAMAZAKI-SAN.
I JUST SAW SOMETHING AMAZING
THAT CHILD S FIGHTING PROWESS CONTINUES TO EVOLVE EVEN IN THE MIDST OF BATTLE
LET'S KEEP WATCH LIKE THIS
IF HE SURVIVES THE NIGHT
WE'LL KNOW HE'S THE REAL DEAL...!
YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO ESCAPE THIS TIME
BURN ON MY LANCE !!!

WH...
IM-POSSIBLE !!!
I WAS OUTMANEUVERED BY THAT CHILD ?!
YEAH ...!!
DID YOU SEE THAT, OKITA-SAN!
THAT JUST NOW...
WASN'T A 'SINGLE THRUST VS A SINGLE SWING'...

THOSE WERE FIVE BLOWS
IN THE BREATH OF ONE.

THAT IS...
HE'S STILL...!
NO...

6
TRULY,
7
A PREDATOR THAT INEXHAUSTIBLY HUNTS DOWN ITS PREY,
8
9
A YAMA-INU...!

MY...
CAUSE...!
WHOA!
OKI-TA-
CONGRA-TULATIONS PUPPY-KUN!
ENDLESS ASSAULT
TEN WOLVES

D...
AWN...
DAWN IS BREAKING.
*JINROU (刃狼) = "BRIGHT"/"CANINE/SWORD"
*JINROU (人狼) = "WOLF"/"MAN"
'JINROU' HOW'S THAT?!
ACTUALLY, IT'S COOLER WRITTEN THIS WAY.
YOU'RE LIKE A WOLF, SO HOW ABOUT 'JINROU'
SO YOU DON'T HAVE A NAME, HUH...!
T/N: GIN REWROTE JINROU'S NAME WITH DIFFERENT CHARACTERS (WITH DIFFERENT MEANINGS) THAT STILL RETAIN THE SAME PHONETIC SOUND 'JINROU.'
*T/N: 'AKATSUKI' = DAWN
YOU'LL BE TRASH FOR AS LONG AS YOU LIVE--!!
GO BACK TO WHERE YOU CAME FROM, YAMA-INU BRATS!! NO MATTER WHAT YOU DO
GET STRONGER AND STRONGER...!
WE'LL...
AKATSUKI GIN AND JINROU...!
WE'RE THE AKATSUKI* TEMPLE BROTHERS!
CHECK THIS OUT, JINROU!
TO BE ACKNOW-LEDGED...?!
DAMMIT...!
WHAT DO WE HAVE TO DO...

WE'LL WORK IN KYOU,
AND BECOME THE BEST SAMURAI IN ALL OF JAPAN..!!
LET'S JOIN THE SHINSENGUMI TOGETHER!
THEY DON'T CARE ABOUT CLASS OR AGE! IF YOU HAVE THE ABILITY.
THEY SAY ANYONE CAN BECOME A SAMURAI!!!
YOU SURE THIS THING'S NOT DEAD?
YAMAZAKI
GAH!
AH- PIPE DOWN
OWW.
KUK I'M NOT AN IDIOT!
YOU SURE ARE A STUBBORN IDIOT, BRAT
HM
..SO YOU'RE ALIVE AFTER ALL.
TRY IT ON, PUPPY-KUN
KEEP THAT IN MIND
DEFEAT IS NOT AN OPTION
SO LONG AS YOU WEAR THOSE CHARACTERS ON YOUR BACK,

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LET'S JOIN THE SHINSENGUMI TOGETHER!
WE'LL WORK IN KYOU,
AND BECOME THE BEST SAMURAI IN ALL OF JAPAN
……
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?
UNDER-STAND THIS, KID
I HAVEN'T ACKNOW-LEDGED YOU YET

I'LL HAVE YOU GIVE THAT BACK TO ME WHEN YOU DIE.
HE TAKES A STEP FORWARD!!
I DID IT...!
I DID IT ...GIN
THIS IS THE FIRST STEP...
TOWARDS OUR DREAM...!!
SHH! YOU'RE RUINING THE MOMENT!
It looks odd
IT'S ALL BAGGY ON HIM
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THAT'S CRUEL! LOOK AT ME, I'M FABULOUS!
AND REALLY INTEREST -ING!
EVEN SO, WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR YOU.
OI !!
JUST IGNORE IT PLEASE.
Project
Vee
Rhea
THAT IS ME! YOUR FUTURE PROJECT !!
IT WOULD BE A SHAME IF YOU MISSED OUT ON THIS FABULOUS CHANCE...
GET ME STAFF !
LOOK, I SAID-
MAKE TIME FOR ME!
HOW CAN YOU NOT?
THE HEAVENS HAVE BESTOWED ME UPON YOU!!
POINTS
WHAT TOUDOU IS TRYING TO SAY IS THAT WE'D LIKE ANY HELP WE CAN GET!
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